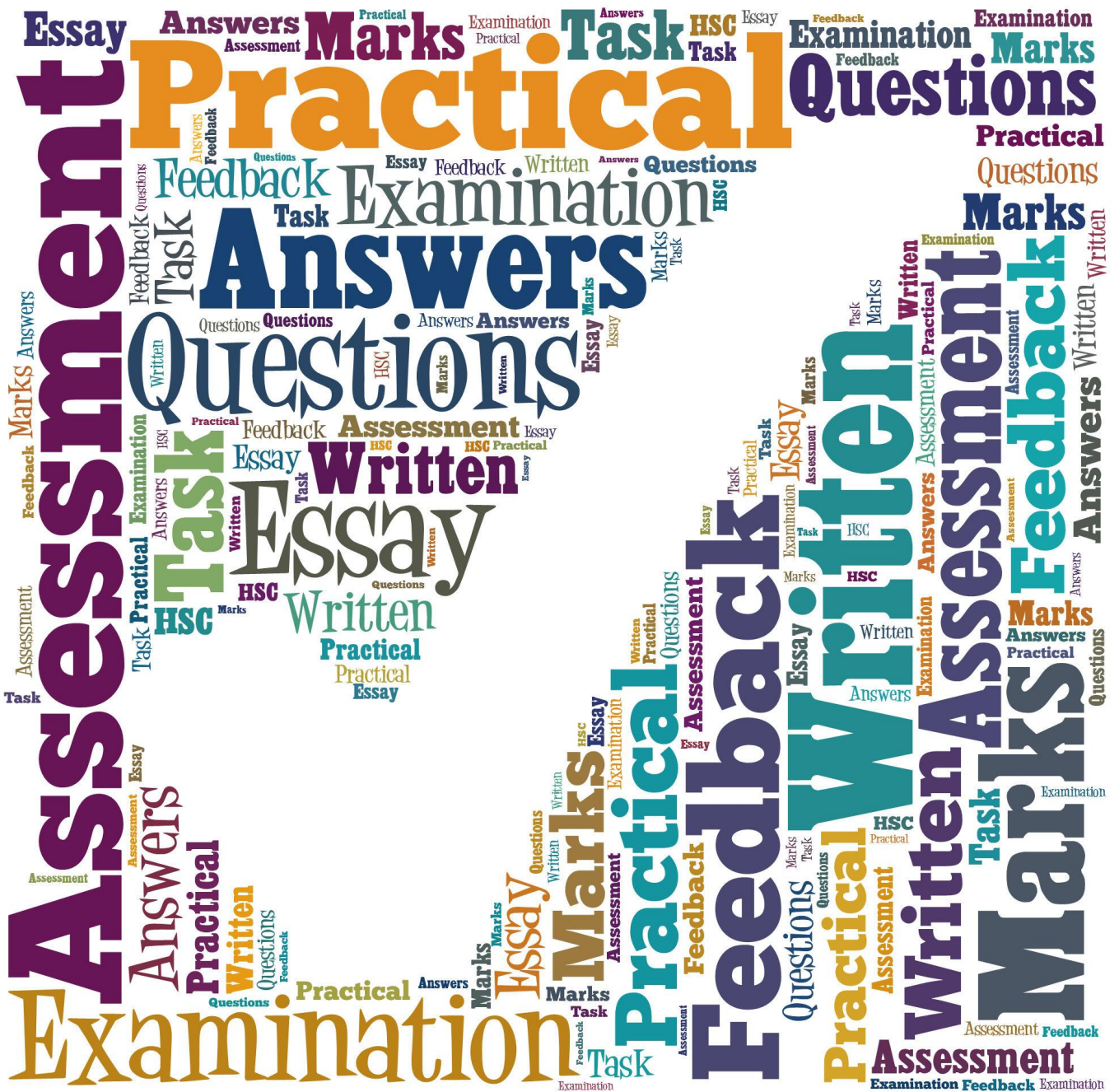


Grafton High School
2022 Year 9 Assessment Booklet

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GRAFTON HIGH SCHOOL – YEAR 9 ASSESSMENT PROCEDURES

1. How will I be notified of impending assessment tasks?

- You will receive written notice of every assessment task at least two weeks before the due date. Notice will be given in a standardised format across all subjects. It will include information regarding task number, task weight, outcomes, due date and time, assessment criteria, marking scheme and clearly outlined expectations.
- If you are absent on the day the class is notified of an assessment task, it is your responsibility to inform your teacher immediately on your return to school. They will then issue you with the task, which you will be expected to complete by the original due date.

2. When should an assessment task be submitted?

- Take-home tasks must be submitted on or before the due date stated on the assessment notification.
- In-class tasks must be completed at the time and date stated on the assessment notification.
- Students must attend all timetabled classes and will not be granted leave of absence to prepare for other assessment tasks in these times.

3. What do I do if I know I am going to be absent for an assessment task?

- Either hand in the task before the absence or negotiate alternative arrangements with your teacher and/or Head Teacher of the faculty.
- If the absence is for school business (such as an excursion or representative sport) this must be communicated to your teacher and the task is to be submitted the following day or next lesson.

4. What happens if my assessment task is late?

- You will lose 10% of your marks per day to a maximum of 30%. i.e after 2 days late you can only receive a maximum of 80% of your mark. After 3 days, unless there are extenuating circumstances a zero mark will be awarded.
- For an opportunity to receive a full allocation of marks, when submitted, a task must be accompanied by a letter from a parent or carer explaining the reason for the lateness of the task.
- You will still be required to complete the task so that you satisfy mandatory Stage 5 course requirements.
- Students using computers to prepare and present an assessment task must accept responsibility for the loss of any data or the non-completion of tasks due to computer related problems. Save your work regularly and always keep a backup or use Google Docs etc that auto save with internet connection!

5. What happens if a student is on suspension at the time a task is due?

- The student must make arrangements to submit the task by the due date.
- If the task occurs in class, then the parent/carer of the student will need to seek permission from the Deputy Principal or Principal for the student to attend school to sit the task. Where a student is not permitted to attend school, the Deputy Principal or Principal will ensure alternate arrangements are made for completion of the task.

6. What if I am absent on the day an assessment task is scheduled?

- On the day you return to school, you must report to the class teacher and/or Head Teacher to organise an alternative date for the task.
- Supporting evidence (such as a medical certificate or a letter from a parent or carer explaining the absence) should be provided.
- An alternate assessment task may be issued for you to complete or an estimated result may be given at the discretion of the subject Head Teacher.

ASSESSMENT SCHEDULES FOR KEY LEARNING AREAS (KLA)

KLA: ENGLISH			Course: English	
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 1 Week 9	Exploring the World of the Novel	Writing Task	25%
2	Term 2 Week 8	Romeo and Juliet	Multimodal Presentation	25%
3	Term 3 Week 8	Voices from Australia and around the World	Discursive Writing Task	25%
4	Term 4 Week 4	Sport - The Journey to Success.	Imaginative Writing Task	25%
Total				100%

KLA: HSIE - Semester 1			Course: History	
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 1 Week 9	Making a Nation	Source-based Exam	40%
2	Term 2 Week 5	World War I	Research Task	60%
Total				100%

KLA: HSIE - Semester 2			Course: Geography	
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 3 Week 7	Sustainable Biomes	Research Task	60%
2	Term 4 Week 5	Changing Places	Broadsheet Exam	40%
Total				100%

***In any Mathematics task, students may be assessed on general mathematical concepts from prior learning.

KLA: MATHEMATICS Course: Mathematics 5.3				
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 1 Week 8	Rational Numbers, Length, Area and Volume	Learning Journal	20%
2	Term 2 Week 4	Rational Numbers, Length, Area and Volume, Indices & Probability	Test	30%
3	Term 3 Week 8	Algebra, Financial Mathematics, Surds, Equations & Trigonometry	Rich Task	20%
4	Term 4 Week 4	All Topics	Yearly Examination	30%
Total				100%

KLA: MATHEMATICS Course: Mathematics 5.2 & 5.1				
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 1 Week 8	Rational Numbers, Length & Area	Learning Journal	20%
2	Term 2 Week 4	Rational Numbers, Length, Area, Indices & Probability	Test	30%
3	Term 3 Week 8	Financial Mathematics, Algebra & Equations, Trigonometry	Rich Task	20%
4	Term 4 Week 4	All Topics	Yearly Examination	30%
Total				100%

KLA: SCIENCE		Course: Science		
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 1 Week 8	Depth Study - Design a species	Student chosen format	25%
2	Term 2 Week 6	Semester 1 Test - Defending Ourselves and Universe	In class test	25%
3	Term 3 Week 3	Practical Test	In class practical test and report	25%
4	Term 4 Week 4	Yearly Exam	Formal Examination	25%
Total				100%

KLA: PDHPE		Course: PDHPE		
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Ongoing Terms 1-4	Movement Skill and Performance Outcomes	Practical Evaluation	60%
2	Term 2 Week 2	Essential Resiliency Skills - RAP	Research and Presentation	20%
3	Term 3 Week 9	Respectful Relationships – Film Study	Extended response	20%
Total				100%

KLA: HSIE		Course: IBL (Gold and Select)		
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 2 Week 7	Group Project	Presentation	50%
2	Term 4 Week 5	Individual Project	Presentation	50%
Total				100%

Elective Subjects

KLA: Science		Course: Agriculture (Line 2)		
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 1 Week 11	Sheep Husbandry	Practical Test	30%
2	Term 2 Week 2	Farm Machinery	Research Assignment	25%
3	Term 3 Week 5	Broiler Production	Unit Test	25%
4	Term 4 Week 6	Sweet Corn Production	Theory Booklet & Practical Mark	20%
Total				100%

KLA: PDHPE		Course: Child Studies (Line 2)		
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 1 Week 8	Preparing for a Baby on a Budget	Research Task	25%
2	Term 2 Week 9	Planning a Baby Shower	Research and Presentation	25%
3	Term 3 Week 10	Caring for a Newborn (Egg Baby)	Practical/Written	25%
4	Term 4 Week 3	Play Folio	Research Task	25%
Total				100%

KLA: HSIE		Course: Cultural Discoveries (Line 1)		
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 1 Week 10	Core Study: Cultural Diversity	Topic Test	25%
2	Term 2 Week 8	Core Study: Cultural Diversity	Research Task	25%
3	Term 3 Week 7	Culture in Sport	Presentation	25%
4	Term 4 Week 6	Culture in Food	Topic Test	25%
Total				100%

KLA: TAS		Course: Food Technology (Lines 1 & 2)		
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 1 Week 11	Food Product Development Assessment Task	Theory Task and Practical	25%
2	Term 1/ Term 2 Ongoing	Practical	Class Practicals	25%
3	Term 3 Week 3	Food for Specific Needs Assessment Task	Research Task and Practical	25%
4	Term 4 Week 2	Food for Special Occasions Assessment Task	Practical and Folio Task	25%
Total				100%

KLA: TAS		Course: Industrial Technology Metal (Line 2)		
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 1 Week 7	Industry case study or topic	Assignment	20%
2	Term 2 Week 5	Minor Project / Folio	Practical	30%
3	Term 3 Week 10	Major Project/Folio	Practical	30%
4	Term 4 Week 3	Knowledge Test	Written Test	20%
Total				100%

KLA: TAS		Course: Industrial Technology Timber (Lines 1 & 2)		
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 1 Week 7	Industry case study or topic	Assignment	20%
2	Term 2 Week 5	Minor Project / Folio	Practical	30%
3	Term 3 Week 10	Major Project/Folio	Practical	30%
4	Term 4 Week 3	Knowledge Test	Written Test	20%
Total				100%

KLA: Science		Course: Marine Studies (Line 1)		
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 1 Week 6	Core 1: Water Safety - First Aid	Practical Task	20%
2	Term 2 Week 5	Marine Mammals Research Task	Research	30%
3	Term 3 Week 9/10	Food from the Sea - Culture practical Task	Practical Task	30%
4	Term 4 Week 5	Dangerous Marine Creatures - Story Book	Creative Writing Task	20%
Total				100%

KLA: PDHPE		Course: PASS (Lines 1 &2)		
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Ongoing Terms 1-4	Movement Skill and Performance Outcomes	Practical evaluation	50%
2	Term 2 Ongoing	Sport Development Games Invention	Peer Assessment	15%
3	Term 3 Week 8	Sport Prep and Personal Fitness	Program Development	15%
4	Term 4 Week 3	Open Book Exam	Exam	20%
Total				100%

KLA: PDHPE		Course: PASS Rugby League (Line 1)		
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Ongoing Terms 1-4	Movement Skill and Performance Outcomes	Practical evaluation	50%
2	Term 2 Ongoing	Sport Development Games Invention	Peer Assessment	15%
3	Term 3 Week 8	Sport Prep and Personal Fitness	Program Development	15%
4	Term 4 Week 3	Open Book Exam	Exam	20%
Total				100%

KLA: TAS		Textile Technology (Line 1)		
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 1 Week 9	Design - Textile Art Sample Diary and Diary Cover Design	Folio	20%
2	Term 2 Week 6	Design - Diary Cover	MTP and Folio	30%
3	Term 3 Week 8	Design - "Light" Textile Art Piece	MTP and Folio	30%
4	Term 4 Week 2	Properties and Performance of Textiles - Experimentation Folio	Folio	20%
Total				100%

KLA: CAPA		Visual Arts (Line 2)		
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 1 Week 7	Common Subject Matter	Analysis of Artworks	10%
2	Term 2 Week 2	Exploring Artmaking Practices and Forms	Artworks and VAPD	20%
3	Term 3 Week 10	Art History and Art Criticism	Extended Response Poem Essay	30%
4	Term 4 Week 2	Exploring Technical Resolution and Conceptual Practices in Artmaking	Artworks and VAPD	40%
Total				100%

KLA: HSIE		Course: Work Education (Line 1)		
Task #	When	Area(s) to be assessed	Task Format	Weighting
1	Term 1 Week 11	Preparing Futures: What is Work	Research Task	30%
2	Term 2 Week 8	Managing Transitions	Topic Test	20%
3	Term 3 Week 7	Workplace Environments	Class Presentation	30%
4	Term 4 Week 6	Yearly Exam	Formal Examination	20%
Total				100%

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